



Texas

2004 School Health Profiles Results

Selected Topics Fact Sheet

Health Education	Among States [*] Median	Range	Texas % CI [†]
Among schools that required health education, percent that required 2 or more health education courses	47.6	(16.0 – 76.7)	16.0 ± 3.9
Percent of schools that had a health education coordinator	96.3	(74.2 – 100.0)	93.6 ± 2.1
Percent of schools in which the lead health education teacher had professional preparation in health education or in health and physical education combined	NA [§]	NA	NA
HIV, STD, and Pregnancy Prevention			
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught HIV prevention	NA	NA	NA
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught STD prevention	NA	NA	NA
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught pregnancy prevention	NA	NA	NA
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught abstinence as the most effective method to avoid HIV infection	NA	NA	NA
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught how to correctly use a condom	NA	NA	NA
Percent of schools in which the lead health education teacher received staff development during the past 2 years on HIV prevention	NA	NA	NA
Percent of schools with a written policy that protects the rights of students or staff with HIV infection or AIDS	59.4	(44.9 – 84.2)	52.1 ± 4.7
Asthma			
Percent of schools that provided a full-time registered nurse, all day every day	36.1	(0.5 – 98.4)	78.9 ± 3.3
Percent of schools that obtained and used an Asthma Action Plan for all students with asthma	62.2	(24.8 – 79.0)	63.2 ± 4.6
Percent of schools that educated school staff about asthma	53.7	(33.2 – 82.0)	50.1 ± 4.9
Percent of schools that educated students with asthma about asthma management	52.4	(24.4 – 75.9)	55.8 ± 4.5
Unintentional Injuries and Violence	Among States [*] Median	Range	Texas % CI [†]
Percent of schools that maintained a closed campus where students were not allowed to leave school during the school day, including during lunchtime	83.0	(43.8 – 96.5)	84.9 ± 2.9
Percent of schools that used staff or adult volunteers to monitor school halls during and between classes	88.5	(72.6 – 94.3)	94.3 ± 2.2
Percent of schools that required students to wear school uniforms	4.3	(0.0 – 24.3)	13.6 ± 3.1
Percent of schools that required students to wear identification badges	4.6	(0.0 – 37.7)	15.0 ± 3.4
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught accident or injury prevention	NA	NA	NA
Among schools that required a health education course, percent that taught violence prevention	NA	NA	NA



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School Health Councils

Percent of schools that had a school health committee or advisory group that developed policies, coordinated activities, or sought student and family involvement in programs that address health issues

48.7

(20.5 – 72.7)

67.4 ± 4.5

* Among the 27 participating states with weighted principal survey results and the 25 states with weighted teacher survey results.

† 95% confidence interval.

§ Results not available.

Where can I find more information?

More information about the School Health Profiles is available at
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